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(C) P/E Counselor delivered reftel demarche Nov. 24 to Guatemalan MFA Director General for Multilateral Affairs Julio Martini and Deputy Director Luis Carranza. Martini and Carranza said the GOG is strongly supportive of USG and P5+1 positions on Iran, and would vote with the USG at the IAEA if it could. However, the GOG is in arrears at the IAEA and its voting rights are therefore currently suspended.
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